

BILL NO. S-73-11-11

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S- 128-73

AN ORDINANCE approving a certain bid document with GENERAL ELECTRIC CO. for the purchase of certain communications equipment (to be used by the Fort Wayne Police Dept.) for the Department of Public Safety.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. A certain bid document ref. no. 538 dated August 22, 1973, between the City of Fort Wayne, by and through its Mayor and the Department of Public Safety and GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, for:

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|---|--|------------|
| 4 | 90 Watt, high band, tone squelch, repeater base stations | \$8,432.00 |
| 2 | Remote receiver voting systems complete                  | \$8,768.00 |

resulting in a total of \$17,200 of which only \$3,225 will be spent from City Communications Department accounts in accordance with ICJPA grant #G-73-C-E07-0215, through which the above equipment will be acquired, as more specifically set forth in said bid document ref. no. 538 and Purchase Order No. which are on file in the office of the Department of Purchasing, and are by reference incorporated herein and made a part hereof, is hereby in all things ratified, confirmed and approved.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

William T. Hing  
Councilman

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGALITY  
And B. L. H.  
CITY ATTORNEY

Read the first time in full and on motion by Herga, seconded by Stier, and duly adopted, read the second time by title and referred to the Committee on Finance (and the City Plan Commission for recommendation) and Public Hearing to be held after due legal notice, at the Council Chambers, City-County Building, Fort Wayne, Indiana, on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1973, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock P.M., E.S.T.

Date: Nov. 13, 1973

Charles W. Elstmann  
CITY CLERK

Read the third time in full and on motion by Herga, seconded by Talarico, and duly adopted, placed on its passage.

Passed (~~Lost~~) by the following vote:

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAINED	ABSENT	to-wit:
BURNS	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>	_____	_____	_____
HINGA	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
KRAUS	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
MOSES	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
NUCKOLS	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
SCHMIDT, D.	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
SCHMIDT, V.	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
STIER	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
TALARICO	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

DATE: 11-27-73

Charles W. Elstmann  
CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as (Zoning Map) (General) (Annexation) (Special) (Appropriation) Ordinance (Resolution) No. 8-128-73 on the 27th day of November, 1973.

ATTEST: (SEAL)

Charles W. Elstmann  
CITY CLERK

Winfield C. Moore Jr  
PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 28th day of November, 1973, at the hour of 12:00 o'clock A M., E.S.T.

Charles W. Elstmann  
CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 28th day of November, 1973, at the hour of 2:10 o'clock P M., E.S.T.

David A. Rocco  
MAYOR

Bill No. S-73-11-11

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

We, your Committee on Finance to whom was referred an Ordinance

Approving a certain bid document with GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.

for the purchase of certain communications equipment (to

be used by the Fort Wayne Police Dept.) for the Department of

Public Safety.

have had said Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common  
Council that said Ordinance Do PASS.

William T. Hinga - Chairman

John Nuckols - Vice-Chairman

James S. Stier

Samue J. Talarico

Paul M. Burns

*Checked in*  
MADE A MATTER OF RECORD

DATE 11-27-78 CHARLES W. WESTERMAN, CITY CLERK

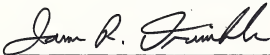
## House Memorandum

To Lexy Demetroff, Director of Purchasing Date 9/12/73  
From James R. Trimble, Assistant Chief - Communications  
Subject Bid Ref. # 538 " 4 base stations and 2 receiver voting systems"

COPIES TO:

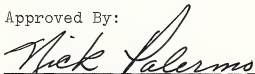
I suggest the General Electric bid be accepted for the following reasons:

1. They are the low bidder by \$4,084.00.
2. We have a large quantity of their equipment similar to this in service in various City radio systems and are pleased with it in every way.



James R. Trimble  
Assistant Chief  
Communications

Approved By:



Nick Palermo,  
Chief of Communications

JRT/ahc  
cc

S - This is ready for Keller

DECLARATION OF BIDS

ID NO. 538 BIDDING DATE 9/11/73 Communications Dept.	4 ea. Repeater Base Stations	2 ea. Remote Receiver Voting Systems	<i>Total</i>	<i>Delivery</i>
General Electric Co. <i>Affidavit O.K.</i> <i>Bond O.K.</i>	<i>\$8,432.00</i>	<i>\$8,768.00</i>	<i>\$17,200.00</i>	<i>120 days</i>
Mavis Mobile Radio	<i>NO BID</i>	<i>NO BID</i>		
Motorola, Inc. <i>Affidavit O.K.</i> <i>Check 1500.00</i>	<i>\$9,344.00</i>	<i>\$11,940.00</i>	<i>\$21,280.00</i>	<i>6wk.</i> <i>A.R.O.</i>
RCA Comm. Systems				
D & L Communications				
I.B.M. Corporation				

# CITY OF FT. WAYNE

## DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASES

Number One Main St., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 46802

### INVITATION

Quotations, subject to the conditions on the reverse hereof, are requested on the following list of materials, supplies, equipment or services, for the department as mentioned, with delivery to destination as shown below. Quotations shall include all charges for delivery, packing, etc. Address your reply as indicated below.

(Telephone 423-7037)

\*Mail all replies and correspondence, etc. to 470

A.T. Demetroff

DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASES

Room 352, Number One Main St., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 46802

### REQUIRED FOR DELIVERY TO:

Department or Division

Communications Department

B-24, City-County Building

Address

One Main St., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 46802

RETURN ORIGINAL TO THE CITY—RETAIN DUPLICATE COPY FOR YOUR FILE

Closing Time of Bids Tuesday, September 11, 1973 at 10:30 A.M.

TAKES: THE CITY IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL EXCISE AND INDIANA STATE SALES TAX. THE CITY'S INDIANA SALES TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE NUMBER IS NO. 34608. PRICES SHOULD NOT INCLUDE THESE TAXES. See "Instructions to Bidders" No. 10 on reverse hereof for details.

### TAX EXEMPT (Unless otherwise indicated)

Quantity	Unit	Materials, Supplies, Equipment or Services	Unit Price	Total Amount
4	ea	90 watt, high band, tone squelch, repeater base stations, per specifications enclosed.	2,108	\$8,432.00
2	ea	Remote receiver voting systems complete, per specifications enclosed.	4,384	\$8,768.00
<p>ICJPA Grant #G-73-C-E07-0215 State Money Acct. 76-7-726</p>				

☐ NO Bid Bond required   
 ☒ YES 5% of Bid Performance Bond   
 ☐ NO   
 ☒ YES   
 See instruction item No. 16 on reverse side hereof.

Terms net 15% discount in cash within 10 days from delivery and acceptance of goods or completion of services.

### PROPOSAL OR BID

In compliance with the above invitation for bids and subject to all conditions thereof, the undersigned offers and agrees, if this bid be accepted within a reasonable time from date of closing, to furnish any or all of the items or render such services upon which prices are quoted, in accordance with the specifications applying and at the place not opposite each item.

Delivery of any or all of the items or completion of services indicated shall be made within 120 days from receipt of order.

### IMPORTANT

As delivery may be a deciding factor in the award of an order, it is important that bidders furnish the information requested above.

Sign Here:

General Electric Company

Name of Company

For W. J. K. Title District Sales Manager

Address 1800 N. Meridian St. Suite 411

Indianapolis, Ind.

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Ref. No. 538

Date August 22, 1973

Date wanted

Show Best Delivery

Fund See  
Appropriation No. Below

# GENERAL CONDITIONS, INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS AND INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

1. **Special Conditions:** Special conditions included in the Bid Document shall take precedence over any provisions stipulated hereunder.
2. **Applicable Laws:** The Revised statutes of the State of Indiana, and all City ordinances insofar as they apply to the laws of competitive bidding, contracts, and purchases, are made a part hereof.
3. **Workmen's Compensation:** Insofar as Workmen's Compensation Act is concerned, the bidder or contractor agrees to furnish an official, certificate from the Industrial Board of Indiana, showing that he is in compliance with such law, whenever such certificates are required in the Bid Document.
4. **Indemnifications and Indemnifications:** The bidder, if awarded an order or contract, agrees to protect, defend, and save the City harmless against any demand for payment for the use of any patented material, process, article, or device that may enter into the manufacture, construction, or form a part of the work covered by either order or contract and he further agrees to indemnify and save the City harmless from suits or actions of every nature and description brought against it, for or on account of any injuries or damages received or sustained by a party or parties, by or from any of the acts of the contractor, his servants, or agents.

To this extent the bidder or contractor agrees to furnish adequate Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance, the amount of which will be determined by the City whenever such insurance is deemed necessary. When so required the types and amounts of insurance to be provided is set forth in the Bid Document.

5. **Pricing:** Prices should be stated in units of quantity specified in the Bid Document. In case of discrepancy in computing the amount of the bid the unit prices quoted will govern.
6. **Delivery:** Quotations should include all charges for delivery, packing, crating, containers, etc. Unless otherwise stated by the bidder prices quoted will be considered as being based on delivery to the destination designated in the Bid Document and to include all delivery and packing charges.
7. **Specifications:** Unless otherwise stated by the bidder the proposal will be considered as being in strict accordance with the specifications contained in the Bid Document.

References to a particular trade name, manufacturer's catalog or model number are made for descriptive purposes to guide the bidder in interpreting the requirements of the City. They should not be construed as excluding proposals on other types of materials, equipment and supplies. However the bidder, if awarded a contract, will be required to furnish the particular item referred to in the specifications or description unless a departure or substitution is clearly noted and described in the proposal.

8. **Samples:** Samples, when requested, must be furnished free of expense to the City and if not destroyed, will upon request be returned at the bidder's expense.
9. **Cash Discounts:** Time in connection with cash discount offered, will be computed from date of delivery and acceptance at final destination or from date properly executed claim voucher is received, if the latter date is later than the date of delivery and acceptance.
10. **Taxes:** The City is generally exempt from Federal Excise and Indiana State Sales Tax. Quotations must be separated to show the amount to be added for taxes of any kind if applicable. Prices should not include tax. The City will pay such taxes as are applicable to this purchase. Exemption forms will be furnished wherever necessary. Taxes wherever indicated and which are applicable to this purchase, will not be subject to any trade or cash discounts.

11. **Bid Informalities and Rejections:** The City reserves the right to waive informalities not inconsistent with law or to reject any or all bids.
12. **Award:** Unless otherwise specified in the Bid Document the City reserves the right to accept any item in the bid. Unless otherwise stated in the Bid Document bidders may submit proposals on any item or group of items, provided however that the unit prices are shown as requested.

13. **Payments:** Partial payments may be made upon presentation of properly executed claim voucher unless otherwise stated in the Bid Document. The final payment will be made by the City when the materials, supplies or equipment has been fully delivered and accepted or the work completed to the full satisfaction of the City.

14. **Bidder's Signature:** Each proposal form must be signed by the bidder with his personal signature. All signatures should be in full. Bids by partnership should include the names of the partners composing the partnership and must be signed by one or more of the partners in the following manner: "John Jones and James Smith, d.b.a., Smith-Jones Company, by John Jones, a partner".

Bids by corporations must be signed with the names of the corporation, followed by the signature and designation of the president, vice-president, or person authorized to bind it in the matter.

15. **The successful bidder, or contractor, agrees that he will comply with Indiana Acta 1961, chapter 208, section 10, being Burns Indiana Statute 6-2216-1004 supplement requiring that names of the bidders composing the partnership and must be signed by one or more of the partners in the following manner: "John Jones and James Smith, d.b.a., Smith-Jones Company, by John Jones, a partner".**

16. **Unless otherwise specifically indicated under the individual listing in the legal advertisement or invitation to bid, all bids shall be subject to the following:**

- a) A Bid bond, deposit of cash, certified check or Bank Cashiers Check, in the amount specified, drawn on a solvent bank payable to the City of Fort Wayne or to the contracting division thereof.
- b) The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond or Certified Check on a solvent bank, payable to the City of Fort Wayne or to the contracting division thereof, in the amount specified in the notice of bids wanted or the invitation to bid, as a guarantee for the faithful performance thereof.

17. **Submission and Receipt of Bids:**

- a) Proposals, to receive consideration, must be received prior to the specified time of closing as designated in the invitation.
- b) Bidders must use the Bid Document proposal form furnished by the City as none other will be accepted. Proposal forms must be returned intact. Removal of any part thereof may invalidate the bid.
- c) Bidders are requested to use the Bid Envelope if furnished by the City, or other similarly identified envelope to assure proper handling. Envelopes should be sealed when submitted with information on the face of the Bid Envelope to identify the bid, e.g., Bid Reference number and date of closing and City Agency involved.
- d) Separate proposals must be submitted on each reference number.
- e) Proposals having any erasures or corrections thereon may be rejected unless explained or noted over the signature of the bidder.

Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ as follows: \_\_\_\_\_ as follows: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bid-Committee Part of Purchase, etc. Bid-Committee Part of Purchase, etc.  
 Dated \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

Specifications for the Four (4) Base Stations will meet or exceed the following:

High Band (150-174 Mhz.), one frequency transmit, one frequency receive, tone squelch, DC remote control, repeater base station.

Remote control will be over two pairs of wires. One pair will carry receive audio at all times, the other pair will carry transmit audio and DC control voltages.

The cabinet shall contain the following items to permit unattended mobile relay operation at the dispatchers discretion:

1. A switching arrangement to key the transmitter upon receipt of a signal by the receiver.
2. A transistorized audio coupler for audio response reshaping and to maintain overall audio quality equal to that obtained in communications not using the repeater.
3. An adjustable drop-out delay circuit, providing an adjustable zero to six second delay in transmitter drop off to keep the transmitter on between interchange of transmissions between mobiles.

An adjustable limit timer shall be provided to protect the transmitter against prolonged continuous operation due to equipment failure or spurious signals. The limit timer will be adjustable between one and six minutes, and will send an audible signal down the receive control line when it has disabled the transmitter. The timer will automatically reset each time the keying circuit is released either by the dispatcher or the automatic repeat keying circuits.

A duplexer shall be provided for transmit and receive operation from single antenna and transmission line. It is desirable that this duplexer mount inside the base station cabinet.

#### BASE STATION - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

1. Input power - 117 volts AC (+ or - 10%) 60 Hz.
2. Transmit output - minimum 90 watts continuous.
3. Modulation 16F3.
4. Quieting sensitivity - .5 uv or less for 20 DB.
5. Intermod attenuation - at least 80 DB.



6. Spurious response attenuation - at least 100 DB.
7. Oscillator stability - .0002% transmit, .0005% receive.
8. Completely solid state, except driver and final may be tubes.
9. Must be supplied with an attractive indoor upright floor mount cabinet with full metering facilities.
10. Squelch circuit - capable of both tone squelch and carrier squelch operation.
11. Two pair DC remote control (as set forth in general specifications).
12. Complete service manual supplied with bid.

In all details not specifically stated in these general and technical specifications, it is understood that the equipment shall meet or exceed those requirements of the EIA and FCC which are current at the time of award or delivery.

Exact RF carrier and tone squelch frequencies will be specified to successful bidder.

#### RECEIVER VOTING SYSTEMS - GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Each of the two receiver voting systems will consist of four remote receivers, complete with their on site control equipment, and a central "receiver selector" unit. The receiver selector unit will be located at the Communications Center in the City-County Building. One of the four remote receivers will be located at each of the Communications Departments four remote receive sites.

Each system will have the basic capacity of at least four remote receivers and must be expandable to a capacity of at least eleven receivers.

Each remote receiver will feed all control information and any received signal to its receiver selector over a single balanced 600 ohm voice grade audio path (four remote receivers - four audio paths).

Two of the four receivers in each system will be supplied with an emergency battery option, its characteristics shall be such that:

1. It will have an automatic charging arrangement that will keep its battery fully charged indefinitely without adverse effect.
2. When fully charged, it shall have sufficient capacity at 25°C to supply normal duty cycle performance for the receiver assembly for at least eight hours following loss or normal AC power.

## THE RECEIVER SELECTOR UNIT WILL:

1. Upon receipt of a signal, present that signal (or the best signal if more than one is received) to the dispatcher in 50 milliseconds or less.
2. Continuously review all signals being received and automatically present the best signal to the dispatcher at all times, excluding all other signals. Switching from one signal to another must be done so that:
  - a. Not a syllable of any word in the transmission is lost.
  - b. The dispatcher is unaware that the transition has taken place except when noticeable improvement has been made.
  - c. No switching sounds, such as clicks, pops or hisses will be heard.
  - d. Visible evidence of the transfer shall be displayed by selector status lights.

Exact RF carrier and tone squelch frequencies will be specified to the successful bidder.

Latest instruction manual for equipment bid must be supplied with bid.

Remote receiver assemblies and receiver selector units will be designed to fit it standard 19" rack cabinets and will be supplied less rack cabinets.

In all details not specifically stated in these general and technical specifications, it is understood that the equipment shall meet or exceed those requirements of the EIA and the FCC which are current at the time of the award of this bid.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS - REMOTE RECEIVER ASSEMBLIES:

1. Input power - 117 volts AC (+ or - 10%) 60 hz.
2. Frequency range - High band (150 - 174 Mhz.).
3. Input impedance - nominal 50 ohms.
4. Quieting sensitivity - .5 uv or less for 20 DB.
5. Modulation acceptance - minimum + or - 7. Khz.
6. Intermod attenuation - at least 80 DB.
7. Spurious response attenuation - at least 100 DB.
8. Audio response - EIA standard 300 to 3000 Hz.

9. Oscillator stability - .0005% (-30°C to +60°C).
10. Output impedance - 600 ohm balanced.
11. Squelch circuit - capable of both tone squelch and carrier squelch operation.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS - RECEIVER SELECTOR:

1. Input power - 117 volts AC (+ or - 10%) 60 Hz.
2. Input line - 600 ohm balanced.
3. Output line - 600 ohm balanced capable of at least +11 DBM output.
4. Operating time - 50 milliseconds or less.
5. Switching time - 10 milliseconds or less.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF INDIANA, }  
MARION----- COUNTY } SS:

The undersigned bidder or agent, being duly sworn on oath, says that he has not, nor has any other member, representative, or agent of the firm, company, corporation or partnership represented by him, entered into any combination, collusion or agreement with any person relative to the price to be bid by anyone at such letting, nor to prevent any person from bidding nor to induce anyone to refrain from bidding, and that this bid is made without reference to any other bid and without any agreement, understanding or combination with any other person in reference to such bidding.

He further says that no person or persons, firms, or corporation has, have or will receive directly or indirectly, any rebate, fee, gift, commission or thing of value on account of such sale or contract.

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Bidder or Agent

For GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY-----  
Firm or Corporation

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August, 1973

My Commission Expires

Nov. 18, 1976-----

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Katheryn E. Smith, Notary

REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION

News
Sentinel X
Journal
Gazette X
Other

DATE August 22, 1973

Kindly publish the following  
advertisement on the dates as  
shown and issue invoice to \*

\* Department Communications Department  
B-24 City-County Building  
Address One Main St., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 46802

Department of Purchases  
City of Fort Wayne

By *A.T. Demetroff*

BIDS WANTED - REFERENCE NO. 538

Sealed Proposals will be received by the City of Fort Wayne at the  
Office of Department of Purchases, Number One Main Street, Room  
470, Fort Wayne, Indiana, until 10:30 A.M., Tuesday, September 11, 1973  
for the following items:

- 4 each - 90 watt, high band, tone squelch  
repeater base stations
- 2 each - Remote receiver voting systems complete

Bid Forms, specifications, etc., may be obtained upon application at  
the office and address given above.

A Bid Bond or Certified Check in the amount of \$ 5% of Bid  
must be submitted with the bid.

Department of Purchases  
City of Fort Wayne  
By A.T. Demetroff  
Director of Purchases

INSERT 1st RUN	REPEAT 2nd RUN	Type of Advertising Required
August 28, 1973	September 4, 1973	LEGAL NOTICE X

# PROPOSAL AND BID SURETY FORM

## PROPOSAL:

L 80580338

In compliance with the foregoing invitation to bid and subject to all of the conditions thereof the undersigned offers and agrees, if this bid is accepted within a reasonable time from date of opening of bids, to enter into a contract in accordance with the prices stated herein.

The Legal Advertisement, General Conditions, Instructions to Bidders, Information for Bidders, Special Conditions, Specifications, and Plans applying form a part of this proposal.

This proposal is supported by the following bid surety as required by law and signatures affixed thereto constitute both a proposal and bid surety executed by the bidder.

## BID SURETY (REQUIRED BY LAW):

BOND FORM: (USE THIS BOND FORM—NO ALTERNATE FORM OF BOND WILL BE CONSIDERED).

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT we, the undersigned, are held and firmly bound unto the City of Fort Wayne, State of Indiana, in the sum of FIVE PER CENT OF THE ACCOMPANYING BID-----

.....Dollars, to be paid on demand to said City of Fort Wayne, its successors and assigns for which payment well and truly to be made, we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, successors, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the bid or proposal attached hereto and made a part hereof and submitted to the within named division of the City of Fort Wayne or its duly constituted agent, is accepted and a contract awarded to the undersigned bidder and the said bidder shall within ten (10) days after notice of said award enter into a contract with the said City of Fort Wayne, State of Indiana, and shall secure the performance of the same by bond or otherwise as may be required to the satisfaction of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise to be in full force and effect.

## BID CHECK (ALTERNATE FORM OF SURETY):

If a corporate surety is furnished, it is necessary that a certificate authorizing the "attorney-in-fact" to sign the bond accompanying the same.

Certified ☐

Cashiers ☐

Check No. ....

in the sum of .....

.....Dollars

on ..... Bank

of .....

is herewith submitted and deposited in lieu of bond under the same terms and conditions as set forth in the above bond.

Note: If Check is used as Bid Surety—Attach here.

## SIGNATURES (BID SURETY AND PROPOSAL):

Witnessed by:

## OTHER PARTIES INTERESTED IN THIS PROPOSAL

(See 14—Signatures under General Conditions, etc.)

List all Parties if Partnership

BIDDER  
AND  
PRINCIPAL

## GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

Name of Bidder—Print or Type

By

Signature of Person Authorized to Sign

Title District Sales Manager

1800 N. Meridian St., Suite 411

Street Name and Number

Indianapolis, Indiana 46202

City, State and Zip Code

Date August 30, 1973

Witnessed by:

SURETY

## FEDERAL INSURANCE COMPANY

Name of Company — Print or Type

Incorporated

In the State of: NEW YORK

Address 90 John Street, New York

By

Joan M. Jacobs as the Attorney-in-Fact

DIGEST SHEET

2-73-11-11

TITLE OF ORDINANCE An Ordinance Approving Certain Bids and Authorizing Purchase . . .DEPARTMENT REQUESTING ORDINANCE Department of Public SafetySYNOPSIS OF ORDINANCE Ordinance will approve the bid submitted by the GeneralElectric Co., the lowest bidder, for certain base station equipment plusrelated equipment, including repeater systems, etc., and remote votingreceiver voting systems for frequency transmission along land lines, plusrelated equipment, all for use in the installation of two additional radiochannels to be used by the Fort Wayne Police Department. Ordinance willauthorize acquisition and installation labor for same.EFFECT OF PASSAGE Passage will enable all plainclothes divisions of the PoliceDepartment to separate their radio traffic from the primary police frequencyused currently by not only the uniformed and traffic divisions of the department,but also by these plainclothes divisions, including the detective bureau, juvenileEFFECT OF NON-PASSAGE aid division, and vice and narcotics bureau.Non-passage will force the entire department to remain on the primary policefrequency, overloading that channel to an untenable position.MONEY INVOLVED (Direct Costs, Expenditures, Savings) \$17,200 in expenditures,however only \$3,225 will be spent from City Communications Department accounts,in accordance with ICJPA grant #G-73-C-E07-0215, through which the above equip-ment will be acquired.

ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE (J. N.)

FCA

WCA